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## PUBLIC SAFETY CAMPAIGN

### SAFETY COUNCIL TO INSPECT ALL AUTOMOBILES

The State Public Safety Campaign is designed to offset the two main causes of automobile accidents so far as it is humanly possible to do so. The causes are:

1. The Human Equation—Careless, thoughtless, reckless driving; ignorance of traffic laws; complete or partial disregard of same; negligent obstruction of the law's due course.

2. The Mechanical Equation—Poor condition of safety factors of passenger and commercial automobiles—tires, lights, horns, steering mechanism—causing approximately 30% of all accidents.

The Michigan Safety Council, of which the Governor of the State is Chairman, comprises the Michigan Commissioner of Public Safety; police authorities, officers of Automobile Clubs and of other civilian organizations. The Council aims to increase the law's effectiveness through voluntary action of civilian influences with those of constituted regulatory authorities; to attempt to lessen the distinction which gradually has tended to become established, which segregates officers of the law on the one side who in the minds of many signify "The Law," and puts civilians on the other side, who to many signify a group who should be against the law. In short, to enlarge the law's sphere of influence and multiply the number of citizens who actively support it.

### Official Inspection Stations

Local commercial garages, adequate in number in each locality, will be designated by local Community Safety Committees, approved by the Michigan Safety Council. Their names and locations will be made public. They will be authorized to inspect five of their cars which may be brought to them. Any car or truck owner will be free to select his own inspection station and must not be obliged to have needed work done at the station which inspects his car or truck unless he so elects.

### Certificate of Inspection

All Official Inspection Stations will be furnished with Official Safety stickers to be signed by the inspector and attached to the windshield of the car inspected, provided the car is in safe condition or has been made safe.

Police Recognition—Police officers will honor signatures of inspectors on windshields and will not detain drivers for "Police Inspection" unless circumstances indicate that further inspection is necessary.

Station Numbers—All stations will be assigned numbers and will receive direct from the Michigan Safety Council at Lansing official forms.

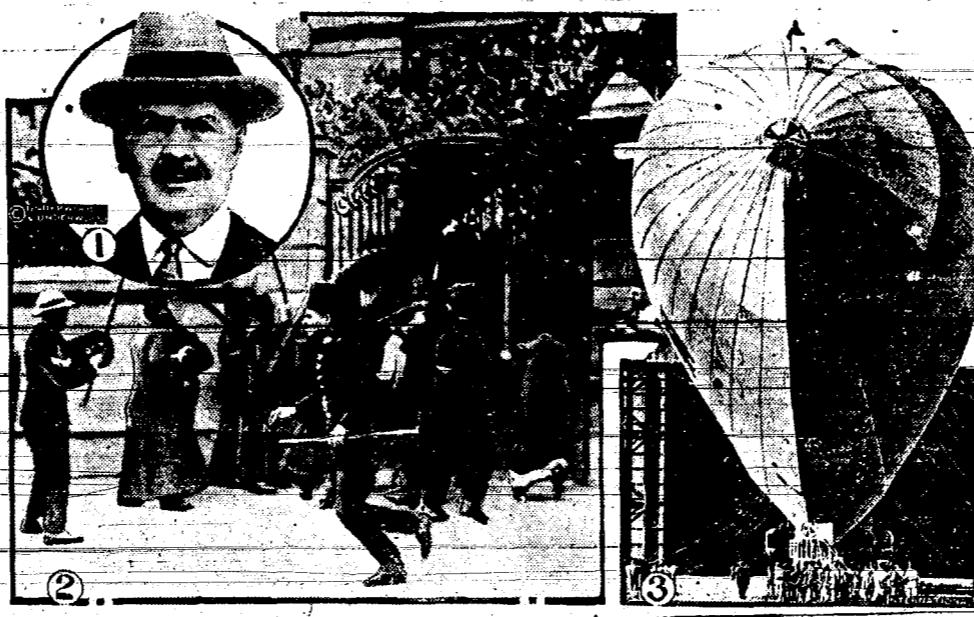
Mary Niedringhaus



Pretty Mary Niedringhaus, daughter of Congressman-Elect and Mrs. Henry F. Niedringhaus from Missouri, will be a welcome addition to the lounge set of the National Capital when she further takes her seat in the Seventy-first Congress.

## School Notes

Editors—Istrand Harder, Ellen Speck, Corinne Sheldon.



## HOSPITAL DAY AT MERCY HOSPITAL

RESIDENT OF GRAYLING SINCE SOUTH BRANCH COUPLE CELEBRATES GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Carl A. Hagman, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Grayling since the autumn of 1902 passed away at his home in this city, Friday evening at six o'clock, following an illness of long duration. Three months ago it was necessary for him to give up his work at Shoppenagons Inn, since which time he had been in a feeble condition and confined to his bed most of the time.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon with services at the home at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. Wilfred Greenwood of the Michelson Memorial church officiating. The remains were laid to rest in Elmwood cemetery.

Mr. Hagman was born in Sweden on November 21, 1852, and his boyhood and young manhood were spent in his native country. On November 22, 1884 he was united in marriage to Miss Charlotte Johnson and to the union two daughters were born, Edith and Elizabeth. In the spring of 1902 the family came to America from Sweden and settled in Kenosha, Wisconsin, but remained there only until the following September when they came to Grayling where they have since resided. Mr. Hagman was employed in the mills of Salling Hamer Co., until the winter of 1924 when he was taken ill from which illness he never fully recovered.

Surviving the deceased are his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Agnes Johnson of Grayling and Mrs. Felix Erickson of Poucette, Idaho, also a sister.

Although no donations are solicited in Sweden and live grandchildren, Sigurd and Agda Johnson, Linn Stanley and Vern Erickson, those who came to be in attendance at the funeral from out of town were Mrs. Erickson, Sigurd Johnson, Big Rapids and Mrs. Peterson of Jaffet Illinois, the latter who is a sister of Mrs. Hagman.

The deceased was a member of the Macbeth Lodge and of the Scandinavian Freemasons Lodge, having been president of the latter organization for several years.

The remaining members of the family have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

YOUNG COUPLE WED

The E. M. parsonage was the scene of a pretty wedding ceremony Saturday evening, when Miss Alvena Krieger of Fletcher was united in marriage to Mr. Floyd Rittenburgh of Houghton Lake. Rev. J. W. Greenwood officiated at the ceremony and the young couple were attended by Miss Elsie Smith of Onaway and Mr. Earle Brown of Grayling. The bride was prettily attired in peach georgette, heavily beaded. Her bridegroom also wore the same color gown and both wore ribbon handbags and carried bouquets of sweet peas.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William Krieger of Fletcher, where following the ceremony a wedding lunch and dancing party was enjoyed by neighbors and friends of the young couple. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rittenburgh of Houghton Lake formerly of Woodland, Michigan. The young couple left Sunday for Flint, where they expect to remain indefinitely and carry with them the best wishes of hosts of friends.

THE LATE SENATOR WOOD BRIDGE N. FERRIS

(by Congressman R. O. Woodruff)

At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 6th, in the Senate Chamber at the Capitol, memorial addresses were delivered on the late Senator Woodbridge N. Ferris of Michigan. Those

leadership in educational and political fields yielded such a marked influence over the lives and characters of Michigan people for the past forty-three years. The speakers were Senators Couzens and Vandenberg of Michigan, Glass of Virginia, Fess of Ohio, George of Georgia, and Shepard of Texas. These Senators paid high tribute to him as an educator and statesman. Senator Vandenberg, who was appointed by Governor Green to serve the unexpired term of Senator Ferris, inserted as a part of his eloquent address the undelivered speech of Senator Ferris on the subject of Education, which was prepared by him shortly before his death for do-

livery in the Senate. I will be glad to supply a copy of the bound volumes of the proceedings in the Senate at these memorial exercises, and will be glad to supply copies to the people of my district upon request as soon as they are printed and available until the supply becomes exhausted. Please write me if you are interested.

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## Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

May 20th, 1928

At 10:30 a.m. the minister will speak on the theme "The Master Poet." Special music makes the morning service doubly attractive.

At 7:30 p.m. the third address in the series "Crisis in the Life of Christ." The theme will be "On the Hillsides with the Common People."

Pictures illustrate the entire series.

"Character, Not Cash, Adores Age"

"It's not the stocks and bonds and bank accounts that we accumulate in life, but the character we develop that counts!"

Sorrow, trouble, trials and tribulations bring lines of care upon a face, but they are marks of character.

Those who have suffered for their ideals, those who have sacrificed for those they loved, those who have suffered in silence, acquire a nobility of mind and soul that pedigree and luxury and wealth can not bring.

I have seen nobility of character chiseled on the fine old face of a workingman more kindly than one sees in the faces of those who were wrapped in ermine and crowned with gold.

I have seen a holiness of expression that comes from faith with mankind upon the humble that is often lacking in the countenance of those who profess great piety.

Fine tailoring, costly cars, and studious manners, and the power of purse do not erase the weak lines of a wasted life that shows in the faces of persons who live dissipated, selfish, greedy lives.

Age is the answer to one's life.

Those who live and think right need not fear to grow old.

Contact with the aged is one of the finest, most inspiring lessons that youth may have. That home in which there is an aged one is blessed indeed. Young folks often grow impatient with the aged, but the day will come when they will realize that the most precious lessons they have learned were those of patience and peace and the calm resignation and fearlessness to meet their God that one can only learn from those dear ones!

To be loved and respected in one's old age is life's greatest reward.

The memory and inspiration of a good life, well lived, that is the most precious heritage a person can leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce are among the best known residents of Crawford County and they have a host of friends in both their home county and Roscommon who are glad indeed that they have been spared to enjoy this memorable occasion. The occasion brought them a shower of gifts from their many friends. Mr. Royce has had a prominent part in the political life of his township and on several occasions held the office of supervisor, was treasurer for seventeen terms and held many school offices.

Among the guests present were Gideon Crotton, wife and three children of Bay City; George Royce, wife and six children of Ann Arbor; Sidney Hedge and two children of Mt. Morris; Fred Allen, wife and three children of Holt; also Warren Mutter and wife of Ortonville, the former half brother of Mrs. Royce—Rosanne Mutter-Hald-News.

YOUNG COUPLE WED

The local Pythians and a few friends enjoyed Tuesday Evening with Frederick S. Atwood of Minneapolis, Minn., supreme prelate of the Knights of Pythias. Mr. Atwood gave a very interesting discourse at Michelson Memorial church on what a candidate receives when initiated

into the order. Instead of the ridiculous form of "riding the goat," as the term is generally conceived, he nicely unfolded the beautyfulness of the Pythian ritualistic principles.

During the evening Mrs. Harold Jarmir and Mrs. Roy Mutter rendered a duet very beautifully, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Emil Giegling.

Pythianism is founded on friendship and since its inception at Washington, D. C. 1864, it has been the means of uniting many factions, particularly the people of the North and South following the Civil War. The ideals of the order are high and wholesome and the spirit cheerful and optimistic.

Mr. Atwood is a charming character and has won the hearts of vast audiences—from coast to coast and from the arctic to the equator. About 22 years ago he lost his eyesight while traveling to install the officers of a Pythian lodge. He and his companion was caught in a severe blizzard and with the mercury standing at 40 below zero his face and eyes were frozen. He never regained his eyesight, but in spite of this handicap he is enjoying a happy life, rich with the warmest friendship of many thousands of Pythians everywhere. This is the first time a supreme officer ever visited Grayling.

It was a very high honor to lodge it with the local members, one of which the members are highly appreciative.

## FOREST FIRES DID MUCH DAMAGE

ABOUT 8 TO 10 THOUSAND ACRES DEVASTATED

The demon fire cut loose again last week and destroyed from eight to ten thousand acres of forest. It started in section 27, town 27-2, in the forest reserve. There was much fine timber in that region and practically all was destroyed.

The fire traveled east and north and reached nearly to Lovells, and also southeast crossing the north branch of the AuSable river and reached nearly to the main stream of the AuSable, near the Rainbow and Chicago clubs.

It is believed the fire is the result of the careless throwing out of a lighted match or cigarette. Men were hauling wood from that region and some believe it may have been caused by one of them. Large crews of men were busy just as soon as they could be assembled, and the fighting went day and night. The grass and brush was dry as tinder and the fire spread rapidly. A high wind during a large portion of the time made the task doubly difficult. We understand the fire was first reported by the fire-watch near Knecht lake—Floyd Taylor. From a tiny smoke it quickly developed into a raging monster.

That region was well stocked with wild game and a warden reports that a number of fawns lost their lives in the conflagration. Rabbits ran about everywhere and seemed to appeal to the men for protection. And no doubt many nests of partridge and insectivorous birds were destroyed. The loss of wild life is sure to have been large.

## Yanki San

Given by the Girls' Glee Club, Friday, May 18.

Admission 15 and 25c.

Prince Toto was banished to the Island of No Man. His daughter, Yanki San is born on the island. She is beloved by the court but hated by her twin sisters. The sisters bribe the Wolf Witch of the island to cast its evil spell over her.

Rumors of Yanki San's beauty are carried by the fisher lads to the court of the Mikado. The Mikado sends ambassadors to the island to negotiate for the hand of Yanki San. The Prince refuses to let them see Yanki San and suggests that they take one of the twins; but they depart in anger.

Finally, all cures being of no avail to awaken the Princess from the spell of the Wolf Witch, her father offers her hand to whomsoever will slay the Wolf Witch and break its charm.

Prince Toto the Grand son of the Mikado, slays the Wolf Witch, her father offers her hand to whomsoever will slay the Wolf Witch and break its charm.

Cast of characters:

Yanki San, the Princess—Marie Schmidt.

San Fan, maid to Yanki San—Norine Wheeler.

Twin Roses of Old Japan—Corrine Sheldon, Dorothy Roberts.

Prince Toto, father of Yanki San—Elmer Fenton.

Princess Toto, mother of Yanki San—Miss Adams.

High Chancellor of the Court of No Man—Istrand Harder.

Ambassadors of the Mikado—Stanley Stephan, Kendall Stinecomb.

Prince Goro, son of the Mikado—Howard Schmidt.

Prince Ton Ton—Julian Smith.

Chorus of Japanese Maidens—Margaret Warren, Grace Parker, Pauline Lietz, Mary Murphy, Lura Englin.

Friends—Speck, Viola Kennedy, Wilma Burrows, Elsie Johnson, Mary Schumann, Alice LaBrash, Ellen Speck, Nadine McNeven.

Our spring 1-cent sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 24-25-26. Mac & Gidley, the Rexall Store.

MARSHAL PILSUPSKI, dictator of Poland, found himself up against a bunch of hard-boiled Communists when the new parliament opened, and the disturbances were such that the police were called in and the sitting was soon suspended. When the diet reassembled the opposition succeeded in electing its candidate for speaker, Dashinski, by a vote of 200 to 140 for Piluski's candidate, Harrels.

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THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1928

## LOCAL NEWS

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State Library of Michigan. Mother's Day with its gift of Frank Jenkins.

Mrs. Ginn Walker & friends

and relatives and friends.

James Zehner & sons for Mrs. E. S. Zehner, Mrs. H. Zehner.

For a few days.

Miss Helen Johnson of Indiana City, Ind., and her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson, were in town.

Visited at the Charles Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bremann moving in the house formerly occupied by R. D. Bailey.

Mrs. F. J. Bernhard of Elizabethtown, N.Y., visited her mother, Mrs. Jens P. Jensen over the weekend.

It will stand you well in hand to take advantage of our 1-cent sale that starts May 24 and ends May 26.

Axel Petersen and Ben Short of Detroit motored up Saturday and spent the weekend visiting the former home of Mr. and Mrs. David Montour and Mrs. Ben Short who now reside in Texas and get off free at Central Grey Street. Don't get left.

## RUBYETTE

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Mrs. Charles Craven of Frederic visited friends here today.

20% off on all coats now at the Gift Shop. Redson & Cooley.

Mrs. Joe McLeod is visiting her son Albert and wife in Detroit for a few days.

De C. R. Keyport is detained at his home entertaining a siege of the flu.

Holger Hanson is enjoying a two weeks vacation from his duties at the Grayling Bank.

Buy Coty's Face Powder and get a large sample of Coty's perfume free at Central Drug Store.

Mrs. William McNeven and daughter Nadine spent a few days in Bay City the last of the week.

Don't forget that the Camp Fire Girls will give a bake sale at the Central Drug Store Saturday.

Ben Yoder of Lansing visited his family here over the week end, accompanied by Bert Mitchell.

Mrs. Newton Reagan is expected to return to her home in Toledo, Ohio, this week, after visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Caley returned from a business trip Tuesday spent in Grand Rapids, Detroit and Lansing.

Last night we invited our new guest saleroom opens May 24 and continues Friday and Saturday. Read our ad in the last issue of this paper for further particulars. —M. A. Gudley

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Gudley of Port Huron are returning to their home in Port Huron Saturday.

Mrs. Gudley was formerly Miss Anna F. Gudley.

Mr. E. R. Egan of West Bay City, Michigan, and his wife, Mrs. Egan, were here Saturday.

She was engaged to the boy for the last time. Olaf Sorenson, Manager, turned out with Turkey.

W. H. Clegg, Editor and Publisher



## AGRICULTURAL NOTES



SPECIAL CROPS GIVE GOOD M. S. C. FARMERS DAY BOOKED

YIELD OF HAY

FOR JULY 27

Soybeans and Sudah grass where seedings of emergency hay crops where seedings of legumes have been winter-killed are recommended by the farm crops department at Michigan State College.

Soybean hay has about the same major program for the morning, while a big general meeting with yield of hay will average two and one-half tons an acre. Soybeans are usually planted the last of May or the first of June, in 28 inch rows.

Manchurian San and Midwest are will be much the same as in past the varieties that usually are most years, many special features are satisfactory for Michigan conditions.

Soy's are ready to cut for hay in charge to add interest. Some special late August or early September. Un-competition open to all farmers who do bad weather conditions; the hay attend will probably be listed among the events.

the McNaughton system.

Sudah grass makes a good emergency pasture crop. When sown the land of about suitable for pasture in July. The seed is drilled at the rate of 30 to 35 pounds to the acre. A drill set to sow two pecks of wheat to the acre will sow the required amount of Sudah grass seed.

For hog or sheep pasture, rye is a satisfactory crop. From three to five pounds of seed to the acre is required. If the field is divided so that the stock can be shifted from one part to another, the crop will furnish good forage until late in the fall.

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## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

## Senate May Keep Tax Cut Down to 200 Millions—Week in Politics.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD  
SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY  
S. MELLON presented his new program of tax reduction, and the Republican members of the committee, together with Senator King of Utah, Democrat, gave the plan their tentative approval in its general features. The result will be that the bill presented to the Senate will provide for a tax cut amounting to about \$200,000,000, instead of the \$290,000,000 reduction called for in the house measure.

Mr. Mellon asserted that the prospective \$252,000,000 surplus for the fiscal year 1929 already has been shaved to \$212,000,000 and that if Congress appropriates \$30,000,000 for flood protection during that year the surplus will be further reduced to \$182,000,000.

On the basis of these figures he scaled down the administration tax cut maximum, which he placed at \$225,000,000 last fall, to \$200,000,000 without allowing for food control and to less than \$182,000,000 if the expected appropriation for this purpose is made.

By a vote of 13 to 6 the committee formally approved a reduction in the tax on corporation earnings from 13½ to 12 per cent, meaning a reduction in revenue of \$123,000,000; and it also approved the repeat of the estate tax, which will cut the revenue \$7,000,000 more. In apportioning the remaining \$70,000,000 it was necessary to decide whether to approve the scaling down of intermediate surtax rates proposed by Secretary Mellon, involving a loss in revenue of \$50,000,000, or whether to use this amount in the reduction or repeal of the automobile and other miscellaneous taxes which Secretary Mellon believes should be retained. It was expected the committee would approve an increase in the exemption for small corporations as in the house bill.

CHARLES E. HUGHES having declined the job, the Republican national committee selected Senator Simeon D. Fess of Ohio as temporary chairman and "keynoter" of the Kansas City convention. There was no opposition to this choice, as Senator Fess is able and eloquent and has at all times been a loyal supporter of the policies of President Coolidge and of the Republican party. His name remained on the Ohio ballot as one of the Willis candidates for delegate at large, but he announced that if he were elected he would have no declared first choice for president. His second choice, as indicated under the requirements of the Ohio law, is Senator Curtis of Kansas. But it is known that he really favors Hoover. If the drafting of Coolidge cannot be put through, the other Willis candidates for delegate also decided that they would go to the convention with their first choice. Their second choice, which are to stand, are 34 for Lowden, 8 for Curtis and 9 for Col. Charles Fisher of Wilmington, Ohio.

If the name of Charles G. Dawes is placed before the convention he will have the support of those delegates. All of which is contingent on their election in the primaries.

I got a thrill when one of the "types" let me hold a stick in my hand and showed me where all the various letters and punctuation marks were. I could not see at first why they were not arranged in regular order like a normal alphabet. It was a little confusing at first to read everything upside down, but I soon got used to it. I have had no greater pride in my personal accomplishment than the moment when I read the printer and saw him setting up the paragraphs which I myself had written.

I hadn't been in college a week before I wandered around to the old office where the college bi-monthly was set up and printed. I was office devil for a year. Most of my college friends were made in the old office. My knowledge of typesetting helped me to earn living for four years. It taught me accuracy in punctuation, discrimination in the use of words; it emphasized the importance of correct spelling. It gave me an ambition—I determined to be a great editor and to spend my life in and about a printing office. It was of course, a frustrated ambition, but I still love to talk about printing office. No one has a more definite philosophy of life than the printer. He could settle any social, political, or religious difficulty, given half a chance. I love the smell of ink and the sound of the typesetting machines as they click off the lines, and the noise of the presses as they turn out the freshly printed and folded newspapers. There is a great education for the boomer in a printing office. I learned a tremendous amount there.

G. F. DeLaMater, wife of the Irish member of the Bremen's crew on the transatlantic flight started for New York soon after hearing that the plane had landed on Greenly Island.

GOVERNOR GREEN of Michigan appointed Arthur H. Vandenberg to fill out the unexpired term of the late United States Senator W. N. Ferris. The appointment is good only until next December, but Mr. Vandenberg announced that he will be a candidate for election to the Senate in the fall. The new senator is editor of the Grand Rapids Herald and is a student and writer on American history and the Constitution. He is only forty-four years old.

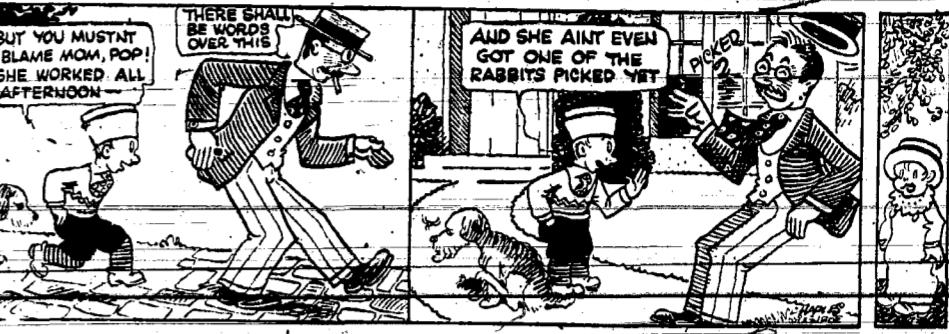
CYRUS LOCHER, a Democrat, was named to fill out the term of the late Senator Willis of Ohio by Governor Donahoe. Mr. Locher is the state director of commerce and resides in Cleveland.

ALBERT B. FALL, in his testimony taken at El Paso for use in the trial of Harry Sinclair, said three Republican leaders—a former cabinet member now in Europe, a senator and a former senator—advised him to write the famous McLean letter to the Senate Teapot Dome committee in 1923 in an effort to conceal a loan of \$100,000 from Edward Donley, oil magnate.

SUCH IS LIFE

17  
Charles Sugarc  
Removing  
The Rabbit's  
Feathers

Western Newspaper Union



SMYRNA, the unfortunate Asia Minor seaport, was shattered by a series of earthquake shocks extending through several days and affecting also a number of near-by villages. The fatalities were numerous and a great many buildings were destroyed, among them being some of the fine structures erected since the great conflagration of 1922. The first tremors were preceded by a terrifying display of celestial electricity.

In principle, the same rule should apply to individuals. Lack of system while it may not lead to failure or ruin, is a great detriment to our progress.

Carelessness in small things leads to carelessness in larger affairs and likewise the careful handling of small amounts of money fits one for the greater and larger responsibilities of life.

One of our most successful business men has said: "Early in life, when a poor boy, I formed the habit of jotting down a record of every penny I spent. This taught me the value of system and frugality. I soon found myself able to save a little money. As I grew I developed habits of general thrift from this simple beginning, and with a small amount of capital thus available when I reached the age of maturity, I was able to take advantage of opportunities that led to subsequent success."

A few pennies or a few dollars wasted here and there do not seem to amount to much at the time they are spent, but when you see the record of these extravagances in cold figures, they assume their true proportions and significance.

If you are endeavoring to get ahead in the world you will find that by the adoption of a budget system your success in thrift will be made doubly easy and you will soon be surprised at the difference these systematic practices make in the amount of your savings.

They are now using rubber for bumpers on automobiles in Germany. This ought to make auto driving very amusing, as you can watch how far the pedestrian bounces back when you hit him.

The Dog an Old Animal  
The dog was a friend to man long before historical records were made. He serves the Eskimo, the cannibal, the Sudan and the white man the world over. He is descended from wolves and jackals, and it is believed that were he left entirely to himself, he would in time revert to the wild habits of his ancestors.

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It's easy for me to do a full day's work and stay up late nights since taking Vinol. My weight has increased 10 pounds." Earl Dunlap.

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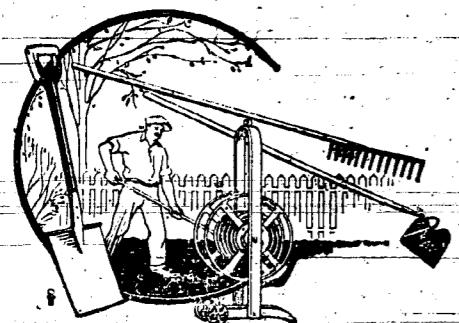
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### Local News

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1928

Buy a poppy.

Coca Cola barrels for sale.

Central Drug Store.

Attorney Ross of West Branch was at Grayling business caller Tuesday.

Carl Woods of Bay City spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Ethelyn Adams spent the week end visiting her parents in Alma.

Fr. J. L. Culligan is enjoying a visit from his father of Grand Rapids this week.

We are showing thirty new patterns of inlaid and printed linoleum. Sorenson Bros.

The Nelson Service Station on U.S. 27 has been nicely repainted in attractive colors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith are in town looking over the pianos that need attention.

Miss Edna Taylor spent the week end with her father, Oscar Taylor and little brother Charles.

Mrs. Alfred Olson and son A. C. of Detroit visited relatives and friends over the week end.

Norman Hanson of Flint spent Mother's Day with his mother, Mrs. Hanson and family.

Mrs. Marius Hanson, who has been quite ill and convalescing and able to be up and around her home, is slowly recovering.

Fr. Culligan left Sunday for Onaway to assist at Forty hour devotions at the Catholic church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Graham have returned to their home here after spending the winter in the South.

Miss Claribel Loveli of Bay City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Loveli and family over Sunday.

Herlef Sorenson and family have moved into the Old Sorenson house on the corner of Park and Ionic streets.

Mrs. Gilmore, mother of Mrs. E. Mason who has been very ill at the home of her daughter is slowly recovering.

## DANCE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY NIGHTS

### At Johnson's Rustic Dance Palace

Houghton Lake Forest On U. S. 27, Near Prudenville

Faller's Orchestra Dime a Dance Admission Free

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We are glad to see the Walter Hanson family out of quarantine after a siege of scarlet fever.

Don't forget the operetta "Yankee Sam" to be given by the Glee Club on May 18th.

Sunday business hours at the Grayling Creamery are: 7 to 11:30 a. m., 1 to 1:30 p. m., 4:30 to 6:00 p. m. Alfred Bebb, Prop.

Dr. C. J. Hathaway, optometrist of Pontiac, Mich., will be at Lietz Bros., Grayling, May 28-29. This will be the only trip this year, so see him about your eyes at this time. 5-17-2

Whitman's and Lambert's candy in special Mother's Day packing. We attend to mailing and packing. Central Drug Store.

James W. Sorenson of Sorenson Bros., returned the last of the week from a business trip to Chicago, Lansing and Saginaw and on his return drove back a fine new Buick coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKinley and daughters Joyce and Anna and Gladys Evans and sister Elizabeth of Gaylord spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKinley.

Mrs. A. J. McInnis, who had been spending a couple of weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. O. Milner returned to her home in Detroit Sunday. Mr. McInnis came up to accompany her home.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will be held at the Legion hall next Tuesday evening, May 22. This is an important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

Miss Ingobore Hanson of Detroit was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson over Mother's Day.

Mrs. John Matthiesen, Mrs. John Isenhueter and Mrs. William Heric motored to Bay City Tuesday and spent the day.

Miss Lillian Mortenson of Flint spent Mother's Day visiting her mother, Mrs. Andrew Mortenson of Beaver Creek.

Mrs. Charles Curtis and children, and Kenneth MacLeod of Detroit, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Clara MacLeod.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion are selling poppies again this season during Memorial day. The money derived from the sale is used in welfare work among ex-service men and their families. Buy a poppy from the ladies when you are called upon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morrissey and Miss Gertrude Loskos of Grand Rapids motored to Grayling and spent Mother's Day with the ladies' mother, Catherine Loskos. Mr. Morrissey and Miss Gertrude returned Monday. Mrs. Morrissey remaining for a longer visit with her mother.

George Land, Arnold Lauritsen and Carl Smith who are employed in Niles, spent a few days last week with their families here.

Try Shell gas. You will be surprised at the pep it gives your car and the satisfactory every day use.

Burke Oil Co.

Mrs. and Mrs. Luther Herrick enjoyed having as their guests over Mother's Day their son Donald and wife of Detroit and son Howard of Flint.

The Corwin Auto Sales Co. just delivered a fine new Chrysler 70 Sedan to Claude LaFouge of Roscommon and a Hudson coach to Mr. Corwin.

Rev. Fr. Culligan enjoyed having as his guests Saturday and Sunday, his brother, Emmett Culligan, wife and little daughter, Mary Patricia of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Alfred Hermann of Lansing is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates and while here is assisting in the Post Office during the absence of Carl Dorch.

The N. P. Olson building occupied by the A. Trudeau grocery and the Bugby motion store are being treated to a fresh coat of paint. Maurice Gorman is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerome, sons Junior and Arnold, and daughter Elizabeth of Lansing visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates over the week end.

Earl Dawson is the proud possessor of a new Graham Paige Sedan, purchased in Saginaw, he and Fred Rose going to that place Saturday and driving the new car back Sunday.

The local league of the Little Flower, composed of some 28 members, have been making the novena of the Little Flower at St. Mary's church, that opened last Wednesday and closes today. A beautiful statue of the Little Flower adorns the sanctuary of St. Mary's church, a gift from Mrs. George Burke, in memory of her son Harry Prescott.

A very enjoyable time was had by the down river folks and others Saturday night when a house warming was given at the cabin of H. B. Smith, Jr., on the Au Sable. The occasion was the opening of the new dining hall that was recently erected on the place. Music was furnished by William Johnson and his daughter, Mrs. Oscar Borchers and during the evening punch and other refreshments were served the guests.

For the pleasure of her house guests Mrs. Herbert Wolf of New York, Mrs. Oscar Hanson entertained with a dinner of lonely appointments on Friday evening. The evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Geo. Alexander holding the high score.

The following were guests: Mrs. Hansom, Mrs. Geo. Alexander, Mrs. Esborn Hanson, Mrs. Sigwald Hanson, Mrs. Carl Mickelson, Mr. C. R. Keyport, Mrs. A. J. Joseph and Mrs. C. G. Clippert.

The number of marriages performed and the number of divorces granted in Crawford County as furnished by the State Department of Health for 1927 as compared with 1926, is as follows: marriages, 23 in 1927 compared with 29 in 1926; and divorces, 12 in 1927 as compared with 6 in 1926.

Our neighboring counties, Otsego, marriages 35 in 1927 compared with 37 in 1926; divorces, 3 in 1927, compared with 4 in 1926; Roscommon, marriages 14 in 1927 compared with 21 in 1926; divorces 2 in 1927 compared with 7 in 1926.

Those in attendance at the annual convention of the Saginaw-Bay district of the Woman's Home Missionary society that was held at Alpena Wednesday and Thursday from Gary were Mesdames Emil Niederer, Nelson Corwin and Victor Smith.

At Gaylord the party were joined by Mrs. R. D. Bailey, who was a delegate from the local society. The ladies were royally entertained at the Elks club where there, and Tuesday evening were guests at a banquet and musical program given by the Queen Father Circle of Alpena.

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E. G. Clark of Gaylord, was a Grayling visitor Wednesday.

Fresh Cream Cottage Cheese delivered daily. Grayling Creamery.

Carl Doroh is enjoying a couple of weeks vacation from his duties at the Post Office.

A marriage license has been issued to Verle George Sheldon and Miss Blanch Louise Austin.

Crepe and Georgette dresses for graduation. See them now at the Gift Shop. Redson & Conley.

Mrs. W. A. Senay of Linwood is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McCullough for a few days.

Mrs. Satoma Simpson who is making her home with her daughter at the Soo, is visiting friends here for a few days.

Elaine Reagen has been elected queen of the festival to be given later by the High School gym classes, under direction of Miss Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright and daughter Mary motored up from Lansing to spend Mother's Day with Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Peck.

Miss Maxine Collins will be at the Blanche Beauty Shoppe in the near future, where she will give Marinello facials and treatments, also scalp treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Doroh and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doroh and daughter June are leaving this afternoon by motor for Kingsley to visit relatives for a few days.

Engineers are busy making specifications for paving Michigan avenue. These have to be prepared first and advertisements to be published asking for contract bids.

Local Chevrolet dealer, Frank A. Tetra, delivered last week two Chevrolet coaches, one to Miss Thressa Lindstrom and one to Clarence Robertson and a Chevrolet truck to David Kneff.

Rain has been most welcome. It began Wednesday and continued for about 24 hours, doing a lot of good. Grayling High School baseball team will play Standish on the latter's diamond tomorrow afternoon.

Bill Anderson of Bay City visited John Brown and Chris Olson Sunday.

He will be back the first of June to act as instructor for the new riding academy that is to be opened here at that time for the summer.

Now is a good time to become a member of the Grayling Golf Club and thus enjoy a full season of the sport. See Fred Welsh for memberships.

You are going to have friends dropping in who will want to play golf. Be a member and be ready for all occasions.

Besides being a good sheriff, Jess Bobenmoyer is a pretty good mechanic. He has just completed the making of an auto trailer. He built the chassis and box and painted them green with red trimmings. It looks as tho it might ride pretty nice as it well made, has good springs and is well balanced.

The E. P. Richardson farm in South Branch township is a popular place again this spring, the attraction being deer feeding upon the alfalfa fields. Dozens of people have visited the farm the past week and during the evening have counted from ten to thirty deer feeding upon the tender grass at one time.—Roscommon Herald-News.

Play golf at Grayling! Nine holes on the most interesting course in Northern Michigan awaits the golf fans who may come this way this summer. The fairways and greens are in excellent condition and already the course is attracting the tourist with a kit of clubs in the back seat, to stop off and make the rounds.

Everyone says ours is a most delightful course to play on.

Our community was greatly alarmed last Friday afternoon, when fire started on the Forsythe farm residence and barn North of Grayling. Sparks flew from the burning buildings and caught on the dry grass several feet away, and with a brisk wind blowing from the north it was some time before it could be gotten under control. A crew of men with shovels and a couple of plows were put to work and after some hard fighting they finally succeeded in getting it under control. The McDonald residence and chicken farm across from the cemetery was threatened for a time.

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It costs money to pump water and it must not be used unnecessarily. The taxpayers must bear the burden of the water and in their interest every water user is directed to be economical and avoid waste.

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## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

**Watson Defeats Hoover in Indiana—Japan Is Fighting Chinese.**

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

INDIANA farmers indicated last week that they did not approve of the Presidential candidacy of Herbert Hoover. The vote of the rural districts in the Republican primary was strong enough to give Senator James E. Watson, favorite son, a majority of something like 25,000 over the secretary of commerce, whose strength was mainly in the cities and larger towns; and the 23 Hoover delegates at Kansas City will vote for the senator at least on the first ballot. And Hoover's claim that the result in Indiana was a severe blow to Hoover's chances, but his supporters contend he really had won a victory in Keweenaw, Wisconsin, and in the Lake Superior peninsula small towns.

Dwight S. Morrow's predictions that he'd be in the race to be the party's candidate were confirmed as he is still a favorite for Leader Dewey and the wisdom to understand that the time has come for the members of the party to turn to him.

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Suspicions of mediation by the United States have been made but are denied. Washington has said it would not undertake to mediate unless asked to do so by both sides, and Japan says it will neither act as an agent mediator. The official government view in Tokyo is that Japan does not consider the present situation war and therefore the matter can best be settled diplomatically between Japan and China. All Americans in the war zone are believed to be safe though some military bases, particularly those under the

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